Docket No.: 071971-0460 **PATENT**

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of : Customer Number: 53080

Sougo OHTA, et al. : Confirmation Number: 2530

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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

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Sir:

It is respectfully requested that the time for response to the Office Action dated May 2, 2008, now due to expire August 2, 2008, be extended for two (2) months and set to expire on October 2, 2008.

Please charge the extension fee of \$460.00 to Deposit Account No. 500417. Please charge any additional fees or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 500417.

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